GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVANTS - SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT - Misappropriation of Government funds released under Book Bank Scheme during the year 1998-99 by Sri A.V.V.D.M.Prasad, Deputy Director, (Social Welfare), formerly at Chittoor-Imposition of punishment withholding of three annual grade increments with cumulative effect on Sri A.V.V.D.M.Prasad, Deputy Director, (Social Welfare), West Godavari district - Orders - Issued.

SOCIAL WELFARE (SER-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt No 498 DATED:15 -07-2008

Read the following:-

- 1. G.O.Rt.No.379, Social Welfare (Ser-I.1) Dept, dated 18-7-2001.
- 2. Explanation of Sri.A.V.V.D.M.Prasad, dated: 11-10-2001.
- 3. G.O.Rt.No.492, Social Welfare (Ser-I.1) Dept, dated 17-09-02.
- 4. From Sri.K.Chandrashekhar Rao Jt.Director & E.O.Lr.Rc.No.3 of zone -2 dated14-10-2002.
- 5. Govt. Memo.No.2722/SW (Ser-I.1)/2001-9, dated 17-09-2003.
- 6. Explanation of Sri.A.V.V.D.M.Prasad, dated 12-12-2003.
- 7. Govt. Letter No. 2722/SW.SER-II(2)/2001-addressed to the Secretary, APPSC Dated 07-05-2008.
- 8. From the Secretary APPSC Lr.No.629/Rt-I/3/2008, Dated: 17-06-2008.

ORDER:

In the G.O. Rt. first read above orders were issued framing articles of charges against Sri.A.V.V.D.M.Prasad formerly, Dy. Director, (SW), Chittoor presently DD, (SW), West Godavari in connection with payment made under Book Bank Scheme to the firm M/s Shirdi Sai Enterprises, Chittoor for Rs.15,23,752/- towards supply of books to S.C. & ST students during 1998-99 in advance to the private firm located in Chittoor District, against Rs.3,58,133/- being the cost of Books actually supplied, In the reference second read above the charged officer has submitted his explanation.

- 2. As the explanation submitted by the charged officer is not convincing Govt vide GO third read above have appointed Sri.K. Chandrasekhar Rao, Jt. Director (SW), O/o. the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad as an Inquiry Officer under Rule 20 of APCS (CC &A) Rules, 1991 to enquire into the charges framed against the charged officer and the Inquiry Officer submitted his enquiry report to the Government in the fourth read above. In the enquiry report, out of three (3) charges framed against the Delinquent Officer, the Inquiry Officer has held the charge viz "that the officer made advance payment without lifting of stocks is irregular and in violation of financial rules" as proved.
- 3. After examination of the report of the Enquiry Officer, it is noticed that the Charged Officer Sri.A.V.V.D.M.Prasad, formerly Dy. Director, (SW), Chittoor now Dy. Director, (SW), West Godavari, committed serious administrative lapses as well as financial irregularities putting the Government money at grave risk Government therefore, provisionally decided to award a major penalty specified under Rule 9 of APCS (CC & A) Rules, 1991 and accordingly issued show cause notice vide Govt Memo fifth read above to the delinquent officer Sri.A.V.V.D.M.Prasad, formerly Dy. Director, (SW), Chittoor. In response to, Sri A.V.V.D.M. Prasad, formerly Dy. Director (SW),

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Chittoor now Dy. Director, (SW), West Godavari, has submitted his explanation in the sixth read above, wherein he has reported that the Dist. Collector, has ordered the DEO, Chittoor, to stop the payment of Rs.9,33,328/- and realized the same through Cheque No.326416, dated Nil. Finally, he has requested the Govt. to drop further course of action.

- 4. After careful examination of the Enquiry Officer's Report and explanation of the Delinquent Officer, Government have decided to impose a penalty of withholding of three Annual Grade Increments with cumulative effect under Rule 9 (vi) of APCS (CC&A) 1991 against Sri A.V.V.D.M. Prasad, formerly DD, (SW), Chittoor and presently DD, (SW), West Godavari District.
- 5. In the seventh read above, the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission has been addressed in the matter for its concurrence. The Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission vide its letter eight read above, has given its concurrence on the proposal of the Govt. The Government hereby impose the penalty of withholding of three Annual Grade Increments with cumulative effect under Rule 9 (vi) of APCS (CC&A) 1991 against Sri A.V.V.D.M. Prasad, formerly DD (SW), Chittoor and presently DD (SW) West Godavari District.
- 6. The Commissioner of Social Welfare AP, Hyderabad is directed to take action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

RACHEL CHATTERJEE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri A.V.V.D.M. Prasad, Deputy Director (SW) Eluru,

West Godavari District,

(through the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad)

The Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad.

Copy to:-

The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, APVC, Hyderabad. The Secretary to APPSC, Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER